The news from Vermont which the Republican leaders in this city receive from the men who are speaking and working in the Green Mountain State indicates that the victory for the Republicans will be overwhelm-The condition of political work in other States is also reported to be most satisfactory. The Executive Committee of the Tilden State Committee held a meeting yesterday but took no steps to have a State Convention called. Reports by county committeemen and others to THE TRIBUNE aunounce formation of many large clubs. The New-Jersey Republican Convention will meet at Trenton to-day. The New-York Greenbackers have met at Syracuse.

THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

SITUATION IN VERMONT-RESULT OF COLONEL HOOKER'S VISIT - ENTHUSIASTIC MEETINGS -VIOLENCE IN ALABAMA.

Colonel Hooker, assistant secretary of the Reoublean National Committee, returned to the city yesterday from Vermont. He has visited a considerable part of the State. He reports that there has been no such enthusiasm among the Republicans since the campaign of 1860. The voters are organizing in advance of the leaders. The Republican meetings are all largely attended, while the Democratic meetings are exactly the reverse. The Democratic speakers lack arguments, too. They seem to be unable to throw any spirit into their work. In Colonel Hooker's opinion Vermont will give a greater majority for the Republican ticket than ever before. When the campaign was opened by General Woodford, at Brattleboro, the State was ripe for it. The people had organized, and everything was ready for a send-off. There were meetings held simultaneously in various parts of the State. Senator Edmunds spoke night and day for several weeks. At the same time Representative Horr, of Michigan, was delivering telling speeches. Vice-President Wheeler's speech at St. Albans was productive of much good. On August 9 Senator Logan opened at Rutland to an audience of 5,000 people. Judge Poland is also speaking and doing effective work. Added to these are J. L. Martin, Speaker of the Vermont House of Representatives, Henry Ballard, ex-Governor John Gregory Smith, B. F. Fifield, General W. W. Grant, candidate for Congress, Colonel Kittredge Haskins, Colonel L. K. Fuller, B. D. Harris, and many other local speakers. Mahlon Chance, of Ohio, began a two weeks' stumping tour in the State on Tuesday at Arlington.

A telegram was received last evening from Colonel L. K. Fuller, announcing that an enthusiastic meeting was held at South Londonderry, at which more than 5,000 people were addressed by ex-Governor John Gregory Smith, Trenor W. Park, A. L. Miner, Loveland Munson, and others. A section of artillery, thirty-eight miles from Brattleboro to fire a sainte on the occasion. South Londondery is fifteen miles from any railroad, and it was deemed wonderful tnat so large a gathering should have assembled, far outnumbering any political meeting ever before

held there.
A correspondent writes from Plymouth, N. H.:
"The situation in this State is as encouraging as I
ever knew it to be at this stage of the campaign."
Another correspondent writes from Genesco, N. Y.:
"We have an active Republican club of about
200 members, and will during the present week
have a preliminary canvass of our town made. We
have subscribed for and now distribute among the
doubtful voters and others fifty copies of The
TRIBULE."

Trimure."

I J. D. Wanger writes from Norristown, Penn.:

"The outlock here in this so-called 'Home of Hancock' is very encouraging. The county used to be a Democratic stronghold, but we have gradually and steadily reduced the majority against us, and if the October States do not give its a decided setback, we shall pull to the front this fall. A number of veterans, who have heretothis fall. A number of veterans, who have disoled fore acted with our opponents, have curofled themselves as needless of Garfield Veteran Clubs, whose membership is now far in excess of any veteran clubs we have had in previous campaigns." A letter was received on Monday by Chairman Marchalt Jewell, from a gentleman in Alagma, including the following report from a deputy-mar-thal:

that: Montoonery, Ala., Aug. 17, 1880,

To M. C. Oshoun, Fuller States Marshat for the Southern
and Model District of Alabema;

1813: In accordance with your instructions, I took the
watrants for Penton and others of Andalusia, in Covington County, charged with beating and infinidating
United States with eases and destroying processes from
the United States Court. I proceeded with there deputies
on toe 7-th instant to Annalusia, arriving there on Monincremed of our approach, and had collected a force of from twenty-five to fi ty men, armed with double-bar-reed shotgnos and postols, and had gathered in a barn belonging to and kept by Penton. I went into the room and informed Penton that I had a warrant for his ar-rest, and that he would have to go to Montgomery with

The crowd immediately collected around me, and Pen-

Marshal Otiver was a colonel in the rebel army, and is described as a brave man, and now thoroughly leyal.

A MEETING BUT NOTHING DONE.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE TILDEN STATE COMMITTEE TAKES NO ACTION RELATIVE TO

CALLING A CONVENTION.
The Executive Committee of the Tilden Demoeratic State Committee met at the St. James Hotel last evening. There were present William A. Fowler, chairman, Lester B. Faulkner, Daniel Manning, Charles W. McCane, John O'Brien, Hubert O. Thompson and C. Francis Brown, of the Committee. John Fox, William E. Smith, David B. Hill, Edgar K. Apgar and George Bechtel were represented by M. C. Murphy, Daniel S. Lamont, Charles Davis, John S. Neyle and E. A. Moore respectively.

In view of the action of the Tammany State Committee in calling a Convention to nominate a State ticket, the meeting of the Triden Committee was looked forward to with much interest, and it was generally supposed that the advisability of calling a Convention or of requesting the State Committee to do so would at least be discussed. It was, consequently, with some surprise that it was learned, when the meeting had adjourned after a session of more than two some surprise that it was learned, when the meeting had adjourned after a session of more than two bours' duration, that the subject had not even been broached. Mr. Lamont, the secretary of the meeting, however, stated in positive terms that no mention of the holding of a State Convention was made in any way, because, as he declared, the Executive Committee had no power whatever in the matter. Mr. Lamont declared that nothing was done or discussed by the meeting except routine matters relating to the campaign in the State.

The various members of the Executive Committee were very reticent, and replied to inquiries by be various members of the Executive Committee by very reticent, and replied to inquiries by ling that the meeting did nothing at all.

REPUBLICAN RAILWAY EMPLOYES. ENROLLING MEMBERS OF A GARFIELD AND ARTHUR CLUB-SPEECHES BY J. H. WARWICK AND

"All gentlemen who want the pictures of our candidates will please step this way." The speaker wasone of the secretaries of the Railway Employés' Garfield and Arthur Campaign Club, at the meeting held last night at Clarendon Hall, No. 101 East Thirteenth-st. The meeting was a lively one. There were between seventy-five and 100 members in the room, the majority of whom were talking about politics, while on the platform were sevstal secretaries distributing all kinds of cam-

paign documents, the paper of the Boys in Blue, and pictures of Garfield and Arthur. In front of the platform, was a small table up to which a long file of men led, who were waiting to place their names on the roll of the club. On the table beside the constitution and by-laws was the very pitcher which nourished Dr.

Tanner during his long fast. Twenty-five new names were added to the list of members of the club, after which the meeting was called to order by J. F. Bannister. The first speaker was J. H. Warwick. He said that citizens would have to choose this year between two parties; one of which mendation of what it will do in the future, while the other relies on its promises of better conduct in the future than in the past.

"It makes little difference to the men like myself," he said, "whose hairs are threaded with silver, what party is successful; but to the young men it is all important. We find ourselves confronted with a Solid South, as we did twenty years ago. A Solid North brought us through the struggle then, as it will now. When the Republican party came in power twenty years ago it found a depleted Treasury and a divided Government, with 13,000,000 of people in revolt. To save the country it had to spend millions of dollars and sacrifice the lives of thousands. And now the Southern rebels ask us to forgive and forget. I am willing to forget, when they ask us to make a whole Summer with one swallow. When they ask us to support a party because it has one Union General in it, with 365 rebel brigadiers at his back, I object. General Hancock is a worthy man, and I have nothing to say against him personally. I will even congratulate the Democrats on the fact that twenty years of sound drubbing by the Republicans have taught them to nominate a respectable man. This is not, however, a question of men, but of parties. Every years should examine the records of the two parties and east his lot with the one which has the purest record."

Mr. Warwick's speech was enthusiastically re-"It makes little difference to the men like myself,"

ceived, and he was interrupted frequently by foud and long-continued applause. Succeeds were also made by Watter M. Chandler and others.

NEW-JERSEY REPUBLICANS. HARMONY AMONG THE DELEGATES TO THE STATE CONVENTION-THE CANDIDATES FOR GOVERNOR

AND ELECTORS-AT-LARGE.

IBY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.! TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 17 .- The Republican State Convention, to be held here to-morrow, will consist of 501 members, and twice that number of gentlemen who take an active interest in politics are already here. There is a vigorous but quiet canvass in progress over the nomination of a gubernatorial candidate; but, so far, no definite decision has been reached, although the indications are that there will be no serious struggle in the convention. The unanimous nomination, and all the candidates are ready to sink any personal ambition, if the way for harmonious action is made plain. At the meeting of the State Committee, excellent reports were received from all parts of the State, and it is asserted that the party was never so efficiently organized at this stage of the canvass.

Judge William T. Hoffman, of Hudson, has been selected as chairmen, and Cummings A. Cooper, of Morris, and W. K. Wilson, of Burlington, secretaries of the temporary organization. For electors at-large, E. A. Walton, of Bergen, Samuel Gray, of Camden, and Barker Gummere, of Mercer, are named. The Congressional Districts have as vet held no meetings; but Colonel Lofley, of Hudson, George Richards, of Morris, Hugh M. Gaston, of Somerset, D. C. Blair, of Warren, ex-Senator Hopkus, of Gloucester, and General E. Burd Grubb, of Burlington, are among the leading candidates.

Of the candidates for Governor the Hon. Frederic A. Potts, of Hunterdon, is the choice of the largest number of delegates, General Kilpatrick is supported by Sussex, his own county, and a majority of Hudson, with its sixty delegates, Beside this strength he has scattering support in several other counties. The General's following is inspired with some of his own enthusiasm, every man counting for all he is worth, and forcing an aggressive canvass in the face of desperate odds. Judge Shipman, of Warren, is also in the field, and Professor Atnerton, of New-Brunswick. selected as chairman, and Cummings A. Cooper, of

WHAT MR. ABBETT'S WITHDRAWAL MEANS. There is an evident determination to make a fight to win. This hopeful temper has been so manifest of late that the Democrats have become seriously As a proof of this it is whispered among the well informed that Leon Abbett, the leading Democratic candidate, will formally withdraw to-morrow. The State House managers have been crowding him hard with Orestes Cleveland; and Mr. Abbett, seeing that it would cost a good deal to win the nomination, and that his chance of deal to win the nomination, and that his chance of being elected is slender, has resigned in favor of ex-Senator Ludlow. This means that Mr. Abbett wishes to escape defeat, and at the same time beat Mr. Cleveland, the State House candidate. It is also a notice that, if the Democrats seeme the Legislature, which is hardly possible, Mr. Abbett will make a hot fight with Mr. Randolph for the Senatorship. Of course Mr. Abbett has exacted a pledge from his candidate for Governor to aid him in this fight, and thus precipitates a deadly quarrel among the Democratic brethren. When Mr. Abbett's letler appears it will create some consternation.

GREENBACK STATE CONVENTION. ONE HUNDRED DELEGATES AT SYRACUSE QUARREL-LING OVER DOUBTFUL HONORS-CONTESTED

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 17 .- The Greenback State Convention met at the Empire House Hall at 2 p. m. About one hundred persons were present.

The Convention was called to order by Thomas B. Saunders, chairman of the State Committee, who non-

nated Clinton Furbush, of Kings County, for chairman, who, on taking the chair, briefly reviewed the records of both political parties.

G. Muench, of Johnstown, and A. J. Clements, of Lib-

erty, were elected secretaries. On motion of Mr. Blair, of New-York, a Committee on Credentials was ordered to be appointed by Congressional districts, neither contestants nor any whose seats are contested to have a vote. A lively debate followed, showing that there were a number of contestants, whose friends were seek ing their admission to the Convention. The work of the Convention dragged slowly, and a recess was taken. The Convention reassembled at 8 o'clock this evening The Committee on Credentials reported in favor of the admission of delegates from Mouroe, headed by James S. Graham, and the delegates from Onondaga heaced

by John Junio. No other districts were contested. The report of the committee was adopted.

A notion was made to make the temporary organization the permanent organization, but met with opposition. Mr. James Wright, of Elmira, vigorously opposed Mr. Junio, of Syracuse, also opposed the motion. The

Mr. Junio, of Syracuse, and Oppose the Amount of the table.

A committee of one from each Congressional district was then appointed on permanent organization and a like committee on resolutions.

At 10 o'clock the Convention adjourned half an hour. The Convention reassembled at 11 p. m. The report of the Committee on Permanent Organization was as release.

Indiows:

President—James Wright, of Elmira.

President—Reaumont, of Chemung; John W.

Keogh, of New York; E. W. Fowler, of Rome; Aaron
Hill, of Saratoga; L. G. McDonad, of Gienns Falls;
Josanh Ross, of Buffalo; Johnson Higgins, of Allegany;
and Renben Carroli, of Cattaraugus.

Secretaries—W. E. Barnett, of Kings; A. J. Clements;
of Sulnivan, and John Ryan, of Onelda.

Sergeant at Arms—F. Swift, of Westchester.

A WIDE AWAKE TOWN

BRISTOL, Conn., Aug. 17 .- This town was or years strongly Democratic until last fall. It was by hard and constant effort wrested from the Democrats then, and a Republican Representative chosen. This year the campaign was opened immediately after the nominations; and Mr. Cole, chairman of the State Central Committee, says that Bristol is doing as handsomely as any town in the State. Mr. John Birge, enairman of the fown Committee is devoting nearly his whole time and energies to the work, and Republicans may look for results on the 2d of November. All the neighboring towns are getting thoroughly waked up, and since the State Convention at Hartford was held all doubts of a handsome majority for Garfield and Arthur are dis-

pelied. There was a splendld rally here on Friday evening The gathering was noticeable not only for its large size, but for the excellent material of which is was composed.

Many of the most prominent business men of the place

Barnes, Postmaster Silas M. Norton, Representative Elijah Manroes, John Birge, president of the Gerfield and Arthur Club, the Rev. D. O. Ferris, Secretary Winstow, of the Recoultiean Club, Austin Thompson, Waiter Hutchinson, Alvin Taplin, and C. H. Raggs, of The Bristol Press. There are now six Garfield and Arthur flags in the town—three at the north side, one at Polkville, an old Democratic stronghold, and two at the south side. A tweaty-five foot flag will be raised at Forestville this week.

THE CENTRAL CAMPAIGN CLUB. NEW POLITICAL PAMPHLETS-MORE GLEE CLUBS

FORMING. The Republican Central Campaign Club has now ready two additional tracts, Nos. 7 and 8. They are entitled respectively "Turn on the Gas, or Democracy Illustrated," a speech by Robert G. Ingersoll: and "Stand in Your Places, or Reasons why Young Men should Vote for Garfield and Arthur." Two more will soon be issued, and this will complete the

O. H. Neff, secretary of a Garfield and Arthur Club at Slatington, Penn., writes that a Welsh glee club has been organized in that place with a mem-

bership of cighty, all fine stugers.

The Central Campaign Club chorns, at the close of the relearsal this evening, will visit the rooms of the Republican National Committee and sing several of their songs. There will be about 150 of the chorus bresent.

Among the callers yesterday was Colonel T. S.
Johnson, of New-Orleans. State member of the
Boys in Blue organization. He said that the Republicans would keep up their organization in Louisians, but that there was little chance of carrying

JOSEPH A. SCRANTON FOR CONGRESS.

INT TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE. PITTSBURG, Penn., Aug. 17 .- The Congressional conferce meeting for the XIIth District of Penn-sylvania met here this morning. In a brief and harmosented and unanimously adopted as the Republican candidate for Congress. The Luzerne delegates led off n pledging themselves and the Republican voters of

OLEAN'S MARCHING BATTALION.

OLEAN, N. Y., Aug. 17 .- The signers to the membership roll of the Otean Garffeld and Arthur Club now numbers 619. The marching buttalion is composed of eight companies of infantry of fifty each, and one company of cavalry, and there is also one company of colored citizens, of thirty eight members. The following are the officers of the battation: Colonel, Major King; Reutenant-colonel, R. M. Whitney; major, S. H. B. adiey; ander; senior captain, Colonel Laman. The meetings a ander; senior captain, Colonel Lanian. The meetings at the wigwam every evening are increasing in number and enthusiasm; and both independents and Irish Demo-crats are being added to the membership of the Garffeld and Ar-hur Club. Last Saturday evening 200 members of the club went down to Allegany to attend an opening of a Garffeld and Arthur Wigwam there. The meeting was addressed by Major King, of Portville, Dr. Bullock, member of Assembly of this district, and others.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Aug. 17 .- On Monday evening the Republicans turned out en masse to at tend the primary meeting to choose delegate for the forthcoming State and Congressional Dis trict Conventions, to be held at Trenton and Paterson Mr. F. J. Stokes was elected chairman, and in a vig D. A. Pell was chosen delegate for the State Convention D. A. Pell was chosen delegate for the State Convention, with authority to appoint his own alternate. Messrs, J. J. Anderson, R. P. Ferhun and L. H. Sage were chosen delegates to the District Convention, and Messrs, Linu, Democrest and Fuendo as alternates. Messrs, Coffey, Linn and Stewart made effective speeches, and a number of new members were added to the roll of the Bergen County Republican Club. The old Republican spirit here was never so buoyant and enthusiastic.

ALBANY, Aug. 17 .- This evening a serenade lican General Committee and the Republicans of the city After the band had played and fireworks were di charged, Mr. Smyth was introduced by Mr. Addison Kries, of The Express. Mr. Smyth thanked those present for their kindness, and assured them of his unflinehing support of the Republican ticket, and of the success of it not only in New York State, but of the election of Garfield and Arthur. He was followed by Superintendent Dutcher and Deputy Secretary of Sinte Anson S. Wood, both of whom made brief and starring audy sees. A collation was then partaken of at

ORLEANS SOLID.

Albion, N. Y., Aug. 17 .- A rousing Gareld and Arthur meeting has been held in the village of Gaines, north of here. More than 1,000 people wer mile in length. A large mounted company was present from Waterport. The addresses were made by the Hon. E. L. Pitts and I. S. Signor. The people were enthusias-tic. This county is solid for Garfield and Arthur.

MR. HEDDEN ASKED TO RESIGN.

James A. Hedden, the indicted cashier of the First National Bank, was elected a delegate to the State Convention of the Republican party by the pristate Convention and the Market and Market a

DECLINING TO BE A CANDIDATE. Ex-Senator Leon Abbett, of Jersey City

has written a letter to Senator John R. McPherson declining to be a candidate for Governor of New-Jersey Senator Abbett and his friends will support George (Ludlow, ex-Senator of Middlesex County, for the homination, believing that it with harmonize all factions of the Democratic party of New-Jersey, and with his election secure a Democratic State Legislature.

BABYLON, L. I. Aug. 17 .- It is due to all concerned to say that Nelson G. Carman, Jr., was the gentic man who addressed the people of Babylon, at the Gar field and Arthur ratification meeting on Saturday last.

BRAKES THAT WOULD NOT HOLD.

As a freight train from Jamaica, on the Long Island Railroad, was entering the Fiatbush Avenue Station in Brooklyn, shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday morning, the brakes lost control of the wheels from the slippery condition of the track in Atlantic-ave., between Cariton and Flatbush-aves., where the grade is quite heavy. The train, which consisted of eleven cars, and was in charge of Conductor Ailen, ran for a number of blocks at a rate of five or six miles an hour, where its usual speed is one mile, and crashed heavily into the parlor car Gem, standing at the end of the track in the station. The ear was badly injured. The engine of the freight tram was damaged somewhat and the tender was smashed. Engineer Niverson remained at his post and escaped injury. Just before the collision the fireman jumped off in a place of safety. A colored porter was siec ing in the parlor car, but he was not hurt. One of the freight cars was thrown from the track and came in violent contact with an open car of the Brockiyn, Flatbush and Coney Island Railroad, which was broken badly. The entire amount of damage is estimated at \$1,000. The delay to outgoing trains was slight. usual speed is one mile, and crashed heavily toto the

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

DROWNED FROM A CANAL BOAT.

NEWBURG, N. Y., Aug. 17.—Joseph Guy, of Poliven, was drowned from a canal boat on which he was

Civen, was drowned from a causal boat on which he was at work.

8HOT IN THE HAND.

RONDOUT, N. Y., Ang. 17.—Captain Hallenbeck, of the steamer Columbia, was accidentally shot in the hand to day. The injury is not dangerous.

BRISTOL'S BL-CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION.

PROVIDENCE, R. J., Ang. 17.—Brisslod is making extensive presparations for a celebration of the bl-centential of the settlement of the town on September 24.

MEETING OF INSTRUCTORS OF THE BLIND.

LOUISVILLE, KV., Aug. 17.—I be sixth in resting of the American Association of Instructors of the Blind began here to day. Sixty representatives were present.

KILLED BY FALLING DOWN STAIRS.

SPEINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 17.—John Ca.D., of Stockbridge, fell down a dark pair of stairs in Northrup's Block, at Lee, recently, and sled in twenty-four hours.

CUT IN TWO BY A TRAIN.

WILKESBARGE, Fenn., Aug. 17.—Patreck Padden, are sixteen, was rim over by a train on the Delaware and Hulsen road, at Mill Creck, this evening, and his body was cut in two.

JAMES O'SULLIVAN RELEASED.

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JAMES O'SULLIVAN RELEASED:

BALTIMORE, Aug. 17.—James O'Suinvan,
New-York asylum, who was arrested on the charge of top Jul a Felix, nine years old. in Hanover, Penn., was brought before the Court to day on a second writ of corpus. The commitment was found to be defective was again released and immediately left the city.

CONNECTICUT DEMOCRATS.

EFFORTS TO OBTAIN CANDIDATES. THE PROMINENT MEN IN THE PARTY DECLINING TO

ENGLISH BE FORCED TO RUNT The State Convention of the Democrats of Connecticut will meet to-day. A staff correspondent writes that the nominations of Bigclow and Bulkeley by the Republicans of Connecticut have so demoralized the Democrats that the prominent men of the party have nearly all declined to run for Governor. The Greenback element dominates in the Democratic party of Connecticut, which has a depressing effect on ex-Governor Hubbard and others. A determined effort is now being made to force ex-Governor English to accept the nomination, although he has several times declined it. Colonel Loomis has written a letter which is said to mean that he will accept the nom-

THE PARTY DEMORALIZED.

THE POLITICIANS DISHEARTENED OVER THE PROS-PECTS OF REPUBLICAN VICTORY-LEADERS DE-CHANGE TO BUY FOR GOVERNOR.

NEW-HAVEN, Aug. 17 .- Mr. Brandegee, the President of the Republican State Convention, attered prophecy last week, when, upon the nomination of Bigelow and Bulkeley for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, he said, "We've got 'em on the run," For certainly no one ever saw such a scampering of candidates, demoralization of leaders and panic among the party as the Democracy of Connecticut have been exhibiting for the past six days. The popularity and strength of the Republican ticket were recognized at once, and by this token, as well as by the unmistakably genuine enthusiasm which anumated the Convention that nominated it, the Democratic leaders were convinced that it meant business and foreshadowed Republican success. Every day since the nominations were made they have been growing stronger, and every day the panic in the ranks of the opposition has in-

Last night Mayor Bigelow, the Republican candidate for Governor, was received here on his return from Saratoga by a great outpouring of the people, who marched to his house, with bands of music, fireworks and illuminations, to welcome congratulate him. Though the shortness of the notice gave little time for preparation, the demonstration was an immense success. Speeches were made by Mr. Bigelow, the Hon. Dexter R. Wright, Colonel Frank D. Sloat, Mr. John S. Fowler and Mr. Charles A. Baldwin.

The effect of the nominations, which has been so inspiriting to the Republicans, has been correspondingly depressing to the Democrats. Until this ticket was put in nomination it was generally beheved that the Democratic ticket of two years ago. with ex-Governor Hubbard at its head, would be enominated. This was the obvious purpose of the party managers in Hartford, and it was understood that Mr. Hubbard had so far overcome his distaste for the excitements and annoyances of active polities as to consent to be again a candidate. There was some opposition to him in Hartford arising from dissatisfaction with some of his appointments when Governor, and from local disaffection toward Senator Eaton, Mr. Burr, of The Times, and General Franklin, the recognized leaders; and there was prospect of a little flurry of opposition to bim from New-Haven, where the Democratic organization seems to have been pretty much captured by Messrs. Troup and Graves, of The Union, lately leaders of the Greenback party in the State. But these hostile elements would have been insufficient to defeat Hubbard's nomination had that gentleman consented to run. His refusal to be a candidate was decided upon immediately after the nomination of the Republican ticket, though it was not publicly

announced until last night. DEMOCRATS SEEKING A CANDIDATE. In the hope of counteracting Mr. Bigelow's pophas been made to put the nomination, which it was soon seen would go a-begging, upon ex-Governor English. But Governor English has had so much of public life, baving been member of Congress, Governor, United States Senator for a few months by appointment, and a prominent candidate for the Presidential nomination of his party, that he is unwilling at his time of life to make the sacrifices of comfort and convenience that would be required, and up to this time has steadily refused. Perhaps tee, having once been used as a catspaw to elect Mr. William H. Barnum to the seat in the Senate which he himself was filling by Executive appointment, and of which he had the virtual promise, he is not anxious to pull any more of that gentle

man's chestnuts out of the fire. Ex-Governor Ingersoll has also been talked of: but he refuses more positively even than Governor English to lead the forlorn hope. The Hon. Thomas M. Waller, of New-London, the liveliest and most versatile Democrat in the eastern part of the Statethe man who presided over the last Democratic State Convention, and when the Convention was stupidly getting itself into a snarl and a wrangle, skipped out of the chair and made a motion that straightened matters, skipped back and put the question and declared it carried, made a motion to adjourn, put it, and declared the Convention adjourned before any delegate had time to say "Mr. President"—this nimble statesman has also been talked of, but though ambirious, he is sagacious enough to see that this is not a good time to run, and so he came out in a letter last night positively

declining to be a candidate.

Colonel Francis B. Loomis, of New-London, who was elected Lieutenant-Governor on the ticket with Hubbard in 1876, has been very prominent as a candidate, even before Hubbard's withdrawal. He is a gentleman of great wealth and unquestioned liberality, and I am told that Mr. William H. Barnum, who, though he relies largely on moral forces to carry elections, is still of the opinion that there are times when it is necessary to supplement the moral forces with something more tangible to encourage " the boys," has favored the nomination of Colonel Loomis. The Colonel is also the favorite of the Greenback wing of the party, headed by Messrs. Tronp and Graves, who are now the recognized leaders of Democracy in this city and county That wing would have urged his renomination as against Hubbard, upon the ground that there was no reason why the 8,000 Greenbackers who voted for their own caudidate as against Hubbard two years ago should vote for Hub bard now, and would have asked the nomination of Loomis as a concession to them. It is hardly probable that Hubbard would have been shelved at their demand. And yet, though a minority in the party, they have had to a considerable extent a dominating influence in its councils for the past four or five years. Congressman Phelps has been nominated by the Democrats, and will undoubtedly be renominated this fall, at their dictation, against the wishes of a majority of the old-time leaders. And they were sufficiently powerful in the State Convention two years ago to give the platform an inflation slant, which disgusted Hubbard to that degree that he thought seriously of refusing to accept the nomination, and drove Senator Eaton and Mr. Burr out of the Convention. It will be seen from this that they are by no means to be despised. WILL COLONEL LOOMIS BE NOMINATED ?

All this talk of Loomis, however, was before the stampeds began. Now that Hubbard declines, and English and Ingersoll refuse to run, and Waller hastens to say, "Not any, if you please," Colonel Loomis has also become coy and decided that upon the whole "in times likes these the post of honor is

within his reach-if a nomination destined to defeat may be called a prize-he too declines. It was said a few weeks ago that Chairman Barnum had offered the nomination to Colonel Loomis as against Hubbard or anybody else if he would agree to give his check for \$25,000 for campaign expenses, but that the Coionel winked lazity at the negotiator, and after the manner of an older politician remarked that he would "see him later." If this be true, the Colonel may congratulate himself upon having saved something by his policy of delay. In this afternoon's Union he has a letter in which he, too, puts away the temptation, and instead of being an aspirant puts himself in a position to be urged. There's a reading between the lines of this document that somehow suggests that other letter read at Cincinnati a few weeks age, which seemed, like this, to be a declination. In that case, it is said, the writer was surprised and grieved that he was taken at his word. The same fate may follow this, but I think not. It looks now as though the Convention, after pawing the air a little, would nominate the Colonel in spite of his remonstrances, and I half suspect that he will stand at the door of the Convention like the patient victims at Saragossa waiting for the ravishing to

AN ADROIT LETTER. The letter is written with such adroitness as to entitle it to a place beside the Tilden letter as a model of that kind of correspondence. It sparkles with political coquetry. It is addressed to the Editor of The Union, and is as follows:

New-London, Ang. 17, 1880.

ALEXANDER TROUP, Editor New-Haren Union—DUAR SIR: Your values paper has made such frequent mention of my name in connection with the Democratic nomination for Governor, that I now sek the use of its columns to amounce that after a careful consideration of all the circumstances, I have decided to withdraw as a candidate for any position before the convention to morrow.

Lam deeply sensible of the kindness and partiality, which has induced leading organs of Democratic opinion and hosts of friends in all parts of the State both openly and privately to advocate my nonmation. I am not unminded of their wishes, nor insensible to the distinguished honor at such a time as this of leading the Democratic party to victory. But I am unwilling that any action of mine should produce embarrasment to the Convention, or that the introduction of my name there should contribute even in the slightest degree to divided counsels.

We are entering upon a campaign, the importance of which to the country and the Democratic party can hardly be overestimated. Peace, harmony, fraternal good will, the burnal forever of the passions and resentinents of civil war—the preservation of the rights of the States and of the proper powers by the Federal Government—the maintenance of the Constitution in the spirit of the men who made it—the preservity and happiness of all in all parts of the inad—these depend upon the success of the Democratic party and the election of its noble candidate.

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To this great end all private ambition should be sacrificed and all personal self-seeking and local claims subordinated. In this great context Connecticut is claimed as a doubtful State. She is certainly a pivotal State; and with harmonious counsels and wise mominations size is certainly Democrate. I hold it to be the duty of every Democrat to contribute to such a result by every means in his power and by any sacrifice at his command. In view of the consequences at stake all differences should be adjusted, all fediousles put needs, all claims and preferences surrendered, and the Convention be left at liberty to select such a candidate as will not only unite the great Democratic party, but also draw to its support hint great body of conservative voters who are opposed to sectionalism and miscule.

I have no doubt that the Convention will, by the exercise of wisdom and harmony, come to such a result, and that its proceedines will place Connecticut in the list of Hancock and English. I am, with great respect, yours truly,

Frances B. Looms.

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Ituly, Francis B. Loomis.

Its beauties do not seem to be pointed out. The Convention will be quick to see them, and quick, too, to comprehend the fact that the writer is not only a great and good statesman, but a capitalist, with a long purse and very open hand. There is some loose talk about other candidates, but it looks very much to me as though Colonel Loomis would be the final outcome. He has the money and is willing to pay, and the Democracy, like the family of the boy who had hold of the woodchuck, are "out of meat."

Later.—Since the above was written I learn that a strong effort has been made by Senator Eaton and to accept the nomination. He is one of the ablest men in the party and very popular, although he has not been much before the public on account of his aversion to politics, but he also has declined in a letter, which has been published, and steadily persists in

The feeling among intelligent Democrats as to the prospect in Connecticut is fairly illustrated by the did not propose to see Ned Seymour sacrificed for anybody's benefit. This isn't a good year for Democrats." He contined, "Huckleberries ripened

Everybody having positively refused to run, the delegates who are here to-night are busy talking up a proposition to nominate ex-Governor English, of lew-Haven, with Charles M. Pond, of Hartford, for Lieutenant Governor, the object being to match the Republican ticket, which similarly combines New-Ifaven and Hartford. This imitation of the policy of the Republicans is as high a comliment as could be paid them by their opponents It shows also how badly frightened the Democrats are. The only thing that stands in the way of this programme being carried out is the refusal of both English and Pond to be candidates, but Governor English is at Saratoga, and it is argued that if the Convention nominates him by acclamation he will not persist in declining, and that if he consents Mr. Pond will do the same. Governor English has said so many times during

the past year or two that he would not, under any circumstances, accept political office again, that his position in that regard is as well known as was that of Governor Seymonr, of New-York, when his party nominated his position has was that of Governor Seymour, of New-York, when his party nominated him at the instance of Spriggs, of Utica. Indeed, it is now no secret that the whole movement in favor of Governor English's nomination for the Presidency of Governor English's nomination for the Presidency. writing a letter for publication to that enect by the consideration that he might seem to be assuming too much in treating the matter seriously. Notwithstanding this well-known fact, the Democratic managers here are apparently bent on forcing upon him a nomination which no one else will take, and which he has repeatedly refused. The impudence of this proposition is the more manifest from the fact that the same men who are urging his nomination against his will only a few years ago, when he was United States Senator dent to an election by the Legislature, after getting \$15,000 out of him to elect a Democratic Legisla-ture, threw him overboard and put William H. Bar-

Senator Eaton bore a large part in that transacsenator Laton both get Barnum out of the way as a possible competitor for his own seat.

Senator Eaton is now anxious to have Governor English run for Governor, and contribute liberally, as he always has, to the election of a Legislature which will reelect him to the Sen-

It is said that Governor English's son, who is It is said that Governor English's sol, who here, has expressed the opinion that his father will accept the nomination if tendered him unanimously, and this report, which is denied by the young man's friend is diligently used to promote the programme proposed. The name of Mr. English's former partner, the Hon. H. M. Welch, is also used as authority for the statement that Governor English would not decline it nonunnated, but this is too evidently a misreoresent-ation of that gentleman to be credited by any one

ation of that gentleman to be credited by any one who knows him at this writing.

There is evidently a deliberate purpose on the part of a majority of the delegates to nominate English and Pend and fairly force them into the position of candidates. There are a few delegates who see the unwisdom of the performance, and do not hesitate to express their opinion about it. Said one of these in answer to a question as to other the convertion would do "Make blank" their opinion about it. Said one of these in answer to a question as to what the Convention would do, "Make blank fools of themselves by nominating two men who don't want the nominations, and say they won't take them, and then have to call another Conven-

It is possible that the Convention may come to its soler second thought before the meeting to-morrow and not take the chances of nominating a ticket that will not stand. In that event the nomination of Coionel Loomis, of New-Loudon, is the next

SECRETARY SHERMAN'S COMING SPEECH. WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 .- Secretary Sherman has agreed to make his first speech in the campaign at Cincinnati on the 30th inst. This will be one of a series of speeches in Ohio. In his opening address he will present the reasons from a financial point of the whole "in times likes these the post of honor is the private station." The prize being apparently trust its interests to the Democratic party.

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IN THE OLD WORLD.

A STEAMER SUNK IN THE MERSEY. COLLISION BETWEEN THE DUBLIN STRAMER LONG. FORD AND THE WHITE STAR STRAMER BALTIC-THE FORMER SUNK AND THE LATTER INJURED. LIVERPOOL, Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1890. As the steamer Longford, from Dublin, was

coming up the Mersey this morning she ran into the White Star steamer Baltic, which was lying at anchor in the river. The Lengford was so severely Prince's Pier. Her passengers and crew were rescued

cargo is uninjured. She was to have satled to-day for repairs. The Republic, which sails on Thursday, will the place of the Republic as an extra steamer on Sep-

At the office of the White Star Line, at No. 37 Broadway, a cable dispatch was received yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock which stated that the Baltic was lying at anchor in the Mersey when a Dublin steamer ran into her. The Dublin steamer was towed ashore in a sinking condition. The Baltic was damaged considerably, but her cargo was unicjured. The eargo and passengers of the Buitic will be transferred to the Republic, which will sail tomorrow. The Republic is a sister ship to the Baltic, morrow. The Republic is a sister ship to the Baltic, and has been lying idie this summer. The Baitle was built in Belfast, freiand, in 1871 for the Waite Star Line. She is a four-masted screw steamer, and is recorded in the highest class of vessels by the Liverpool Registry Board. She is 420 test in length, 40% feet beam, 31 feet depth of hold, and 3,707 gross tournage. She is built of iron, with seven transverse water-right built-heads, having four compound engines which give her a speed of about fifteen shots an hour. She is one of the finest and most comfortance vessels affoat.

PREPARING TO PAY THE COST OF WAR. THE INDIAN ESTIMATE PRESENTED TO THE BRICISH HOUSE OF COMMONS-THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE LATE ADMINISTRATION DENGUNCED.

LONDON, Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1880. In the House of Commons this afternoon the Marquis of Hartington, Secretary of State for India, submitted the Indian estimates for the 6-cal year 1880-'81. The receipts are placed at £66.746,000, and the expenditures at £86,329,000, giving a surplus of £417,000, and showing a decrease of £1,000,000 on each side of the account, as compared with the fiscal year 1879.'80. In presenting the estimates the Mar-

year 1879-80. In presenting the estimates the Marquis of Hartington said:

There would have been an aggregate surplus for the past three years of £11,197,000 but for the Afghan war. The time its appreaching hearly, if it has not already been reached, when the productive works in India will no longer be a charge upon, but a source of revenue to the country. The war expenses for the fixed years of £18,79-79, 1879-80 and 1880-81 in round figures are £14,000,000, and the cost of the frantier railway £4,000,000, making a total of £18,000,000. Deducting the supposed surplus of £11,000,000, it leaves a defelt of £7,000,000.

Lord Hartington severely denounced the negligence in preparing the war estimates, and underestimating not only the expenses but the difficulties of the enterprise on the part of the late Government. Of the deficit, this year. A loan has already been authorized for productive works, the proceeds of which are to be diverted to this purpose. It is also intended to reduce the drawing on India on the Home account shout \$1,000,000. If these measures are insufficient, a form might be raised in India, but no addition to the Indian debt should be made, if it is possible to avoid it. The statement regarding the imperial contribution to the war expenses of India must be deferred unit the complete cost of the war has been fully ascertained. But the war was certainly the result of Imperial policy, and therefore assistance to India from Imperial resources is necessary.

A WAR CLOUD IN THE EAST. DETERMINATION OF ALBANIA TO DEFY THE POWERS -ROUMANIA, TURKEY AND THE UNITED STATES.

LONDON, Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1880. A Scutaria dispatch to The Manchester

Guardian, dated the 15th inst., says:

The decrees of the Albanian National Assembly at Prisrend, declaring Albanian one and indivisible, with Ochrida for its capital, demanding the recognition of a National Chief or Prince and relecting the authority of the Porte were at once telegraphed to the Sulian. Tha Sulian telegraphed the reply that the Albanian demanda were inadvisable, and counseled prudence. He said ho was bardly safe in Stamboul himself, and would not undertake to help the Albanians, if they defined Europe. In such case they would have to reckon with the Powers alone. This reply has acted as a damper on the less resolute spirits, and several delegates wished to recede from the revolutionary programme. The party of action at Prisrend has, however, gained the day, and the delegates from Kossovo, Novi Bazar and other districts remain united in their resolution to uphold the National programme. The hew Governor appointed by the Port Guardian, dated the 15th inst., says:

Eugene Schuyler has succeeded, through the mediation of the British Minister, in arranging trade relations between Roumania and the United States.

MISS NEILSON'S DEALTH.

London, Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1880. Miss Adelaide Neilson, who died in Paris Sunday morning, was driving in the Bois de Boulogne on Saturday evening when she was seized with sudden illness and was conveyed to the nearest restaurant, where she expired. Her remains will be buried in Brompton Cemetery, London, at the end

Paris, Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1880. A post mortem examination attributes the death of Miss Neilson to dropsy of the heart, accelerated by extreme indigestion.

LONDON, Wednesday, Aug. 18, 1880. The Paris correspondent of The Daily News says Miss Neitson's death is attributed to drinking a cup of feed milk which a medical writer in a Patis journal says is very indigestible. Miss Nellson was twolve hours in mortal agony. Her body was claimed at the Morgue by an old naval officer.

THE DISORDERS IN IRELAND.

London, Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1880 In the House of Commons this afternoon, Mr. Forster, Chief Secretary for Ireland, replying to a question, stigmatized the speech of Mr. John Dillon at the land meetings at Kildare on Sunday as wickedness and cowardice, and as an abuse of the liberty of speech. and cowardice, and as an antisc of the hoerly of special. There was no intention, however, of prosecuting Mr. Dillon, who would probably desire nothing better. Mr. Forster confirmed the published reports of riots at Dungannon and elsewhere, and concluded by saying that all the elergymen in Ireland should set their races against toolisa religious processions, the only effect of which is to create disturbance.

THE COUTTS-BARTLETT MARRIAGE. LONDON, Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1880.

The London correspondent of The Manchester Guardian says the measure of dissatisfaction felt in high quarters at the proposed marriage of Lady Burdett-Courts and Mr. Bartlett is indicated in the re-fusal of the use of the Chapel Royal, Savoy, for the cere-mony, despite the great desire of the Baroness that is should be celebrated there.

A STEAMSHIP ASHORE. QUEBEC, Aug. 17 .- The Donaldson Line teamsnip Cybele, Captain Clatworthy, from Glasgow. August 6, with a cargo of coal for Montreal, is reported ashore on the East point of Anticosti.

LONDON, Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1880, A dispatch from Buenos Ayres says: "It is expected tnat Senator Delvaile, of Buenos Ayres will be elected President of the Republic." Jonas Reis & Co., bankers and bullion merchants and

foreign exchange brokers of Liverpoot, have suspended payment. Their liabilities are not mentioned. A Bertin dispatch to The Post, says that Count Henry Von Arnim, desires a rebearing, and has expressed readmess to submit himself to Prussian jurisdiction. A dispatch from Berlin to The Morning Post says: In

consequence of the general bad harvest in Germany, there has been a renewal of the agitation for the probl-A dispatch from Rome to The Times states that the

Pope will hold a Consistory on Friday next, when he will nominate a number of Italian, Spanish and trans-atiantic Bushers and Archbishops.

At the Court-Martial at Gosport to-day, the competitor who assaulted the witness of Sergeant William

Marshman's improper marking at the Batts during the recent meeting of the National Rufe Association at Winbiedoo, and who profited by such marking, was sentenced to six weeks imprisonment at hard labor. He was a pensioned Sergeant of the Marines.

he beli-ves that it has been decided to establish special chancery for the trial of press matters under special chancery for the trial of press maters under the direction of a lenient official under whose recent direction of the existing Press Bureau, not a single punishment had been inflicted, and it is expected that all questions concerning the press will be dealt with by Ordinary Courts of Justice.